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For: AN OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE AND A METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF APPLICATION UNDER 35
U.S.C. § 371 AND 37 C.F.R. § 1.494 OR 1.495**

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Sir:

We enclose a copy of the Notice of Acceptance of Application for the above-identified application and request the following correction:

Please correct the DATE OF RECEIPT from "7/18/2002" to --6/18/2002--.

Verification for the requested corrections is indicated on the original executed Declaration which was filed June 18, 2002.

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The following items have been received:

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